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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
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Re: Docket 05-196, ex parte communication

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On October 4, 2005 Timothy Lorello SVP, Chief Marketing Officer TeleCommunication Systems ("TCS") and H. Russell Frisby, Jr. of the law firm of Kirkpatrick & Lockhart Nicholson Graham met with Carol Simpson, Christi Shewman and Nicholas G. Alexander of the Wireline Competition Bureau in connection with the above-reference proceeding. Mr. Lorello and Mr. Frisby recommended that the Commission should be guided by principles of network neutrality in determining questions pertaining to applicability of the rules and interconnection requirements. They also reviewed the ongoing implementation of the VoIP E 911 rules, and the positions set forth in TCS' comments. Mr. Lorello and Mr. Frisby distributed and spoke from the attached slides. In addition, Mr. Lorello referenced the brochure which is also attached.

Very truly yours,

H. Russell Frisby, Jr.

Attachments

cc: Carol Simpson
Christi Shewman
Nicholas G. Alexander